

ROD & GUN

Chatter

By

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Even with the opening of the live bait season over the week end at a few of the various boat landings, the majority of local anglers will remain with the surf. Especially now that the elusive barred perch have again started to hit at Second St. in Hermosa. The week previous, Huntington Beach saw the most action. Seems anglers have the best luck in that particular locale. It's usually beach and finding a deep hole. Some get them, some don't!

Locally, when the perch move in they hit all up and down the beach, don't have to work so hard—just stand there. One thing about Second St. perch is that if you connect, it's usually a two pounder or better, which on the whole is above average for other strips of beach. They talk about the big perch that hit at Zuma Beach—from the latest reports they must be the young of the ones taken locally.

Regardless of where the perch were hitting this week end, every susceptible beach up and down the coast was lined with members of the various Southern California Rod and Gun Clubs vying in competition, on teams of five anglers each, in the annual Redondo Rod and Gun Club Derby. Every club was after the trophy awarded the winners, besides the prestige of having the top surf fishermen as members.

Actually a lot of it is just plain luck—if the perch aren't hitting where you happen to be fishing—you're dead, no matter how good you happen to be. But if they are hitting—it takes a lot of know-how to get your limit—besides the top surf anglers always know what beach will produce, well usually.

As far as our local anglers are concerned—we have some darn good ones—will even go so far as to say that we have a couple of the best. As far as the derby is concerned, the Torrance Rod and Gun sent nine teams, including one of Jr. members into competition yesterday. That makes 45 anglers fishing for Torrance.

Other clubs are sending more, some less—depending on their membership. So out of the mob of several hundred anglers will emerge the top team from the top club—sure hope it's Torrance. (Not very prejudiced.)

The \$5 purchase order given the anglers registering the largest perch of the week at the Torrance Cycle and Sport Shop was split by Al Coast and Dean Barkdull, both weighing in their toppers, hitting 2 lbs. 10 ozs. Well, \$2.50—always use a couple of sinkers. Al took his at Second St. while Dean found a hot spot at Huntington Beach—hot spot is right! Everyone else had left for home when he really got into them—took eight in a matter of minutes.

Wild boar hunting on Catalina again last week was Walt Gilliard, along with Jack Pluth and Ben Smith. Walt and Ben both downed their bacon besides wild goats. Ben brought back some really nice horns of a goat. Look nice in someone's den. They always leave the goat meat, guess it isn't good eating, and besides it feeds the wild pigs on the island.

One last word about the Second St. fish. The ones taken the first of the week were in close—they would have to be for me to get any. As Abe Coast put it, he can back-lash farther than I cast.

With 5 Wins

Canvasbacks, Red Devils Deadlocked in Cage Race

The Canvasbacks and the Red Devils share the top spot in the Recreation Department's Elementary School boys' basketball league, with identical five win and no loss records following play this week end.

The Red Devils smacked down the previously undefeated Wildcats with a 43-20 score. Center Albert Wicker of the winning squad had his best day of the season in the scoring department, picking up 18 points on nine field goals.

Captain Eddy Perales topped the losers in scoring, dumping through 11 points from his guard slot.

The Canvasbacks, with forward Gary Gresham pacing the scoring attack with 11 counters, snowed under the Nortorians by a 40-16 score.

Bvnie Harris plucked nine of the losers points from his guard slot for high point man of the fray.

Fireballs Called
In other games, the Fireballs won their first game of the season, downing the Seagulls, 19-13, in a game that was well played by both outfits.

Captain Gerald Sherburne was high point man for the victors, clicking with eight points. Mike Miller picked up six for the losers.

Center Mike Kirkpatrick tipped in 12 points to lead the Hawks to their 27-19 win over the Mudhens in an afternoon game. Forward Jim Zerk and Guard Abel Luna hit six apiece to top for the loser's high score honors.

In another afternoon affair, the Cadets set a new low scoring record in bowing to the Hornets, 26-6. Bob Bereskin Maurice Mora and Ed Neubaur scored one basket each to account for the total score for the losers.

Guard Sonny Somerville had a hot streak and tallied 13 of the winners markers.

Summaries
Fireballs (19) Seagulls (13)
Sherburne (8) F Pace (1)
Gonia (6) C Berry (1)
Smalley (2) C Peterson (2)
Masaki G Miller (6)
Keller (3) G Maust (5)
Reserves: Fireballs—Gomez, Wilcox. Seagulls—Naumann 1.

Red Devils (43) Wildcats (20)
Johnson (2) F Combs (4)
Church (6) F Epefano (4)
Wicks (18) C Schaefer (2)
Gonia (2) G Perales (11)
Veres (10) G Taylor (4)
Reserves: Red Devils—Chase 5, Wildcats—Hester.

Hawks (27) Mudhens (19)
Mewborn (10) F Zack (6)
Challis (4) F Iwata (3)
Kirk'ek (12) C Schaefer (2)
Aycock G Butcher (2)
Killian's (1) G Luna (6)
Reserves: Hawks—Hill, Mortary, Wood. Mudhens—Strong, Zack.

Cadets (6) Hornets (26)
Bereskin (2) F Hill (3)
Coberly F Venable (1)
Mora (2) G Park (4)
Neubaur (2) G Duncan (5)
Agustyn G Som'le (13)

Reserves: Cadets—Carothers, Van Valkenberg, Ross, Moreno, Hornets—Gros, Kiling 1.
Canvas'ks (40) Nor'ans (16)
Richard'n (8) F Mance (1)
Gresham (11) F McTeer (1)
Hester (8) C Wegener (2)
Deasy (2) G Harris (9)
Hanon (2) G Kemp (2)
Reserves: Canvasbacks—Hanson 8, Ojard 1, Montgomery, Schmidt, Nortorians—Rogers, Norman, Claxton 2, Verberg.

Standings
Canvasbacks W 5 L 0
Red Devils 5 0
Wildcats 4 1
Hornets 3 2
Hawks 3 2
Nortorians 2 3
Fireballs 1 4
Mudhens 1 4
Seagulls 1 4
Cadets 0 5

Inglewood Takes Bay League Cage Title
Jerry Buckelew's 23 points spurred Inglewood on to a 66-57 win over Redondo Friday night, as the Sentinels grabbed off the Bay League title.

The winners outscored the Beach Boys, 14-10 in the opening period and were never headed. Hughes had 28 points for Redondo to take individual scoring honors.

Redondo's junior varsity turned the tables on Inglewood in the prelim, as they squeaked through with a 35-32 win.

INDIAN PAYMENTS
Indians in the U.S. during 1952 received more than \$1 billion in bonuses, rentals and royalties from Indian lands which were leased for the development of oil and gas properties.

Several broad changes in seasons and bag limits were recommended as the Fish and Game Commission today made public its tentative determinations for the 1955 hunting and fishing seasons.

Final regulations will be set at the Feb. 25 meeting in San Francisco.

Highlights of the determinations, made after consideration and review of recommendations made by the public and the Department of Fish and Game are:

Setting up of three separate trout openings as follows:

North coastal season, including Del Norte and Humboldt counties and the Bel River drainage except Pillsbury Lake, May 28 to Oct. 31.

Sierra trout season, May 14 to Oct. 31, including the addition of Mariposa, Tuolumne, Calaveras and Amador counties to this area, which opened May 29 last year.

Early trout season, April 30 to Oct. 31 in remainder of the state. No change in the bag limit of 15 trout, or ten pounds and one fish.

Changed bag limit of striped bass to four fish, not more than two of which may be longer than 25 inches, with a minimum size limit remaining at 12 inches. No striped bass may be retained in possession alive after taking by means of a line, string, water container or other device.

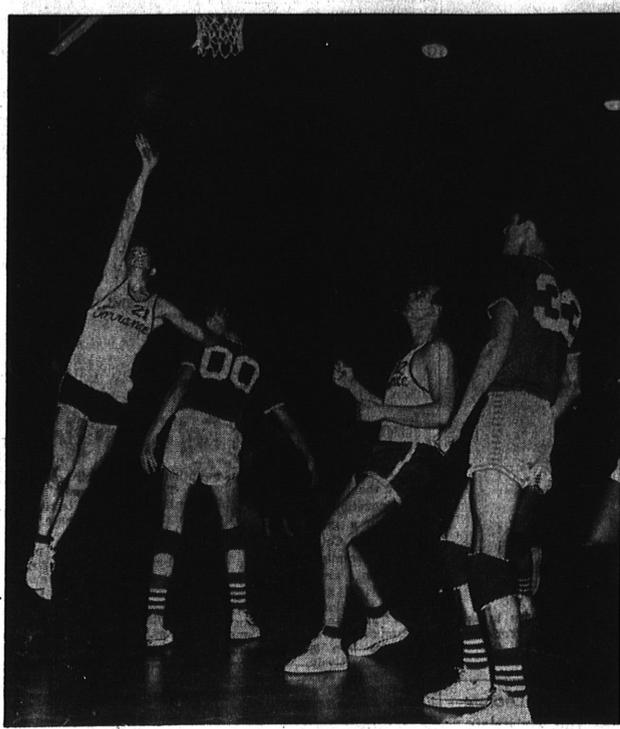
Made legal the possession of one hen pheasant per season, with the seasonal limit of ten birds unchanged. Two birds per day of either sex, seasonal limit of ten in Southern California cooperative areas.

Announced intention of adopting a new pheasant tag covering the single hen pheasant, and requiring the signature of the holder across the face of each tag as already required on deer tags.

Set coastal deer season Aug. 6 to Sept. 15, with a bag limit of two bucks, forked horn or better, with slight boundary changes involving small parts of Los Angeles and San Diego counties.

Set the Los Angeles archery season for July 23 to Dec. 31, with a bag limit of two deer of either sex.

Tartars Wind Up League Cage Season With Pair of Contests



FINAL FLING . . . Barrett Lee, Torrance Right's leading varsity point producer, is shown dunking during a recent Bay League tussle. Lee, along with seven other Tartars, will make his final court appearance for Torrance this week as the Tartars wind up their current hoop campaign.

Carmelita Nine Beats Bluebirds

Swain Johnson clobbered a 300 foot liner into left field in the seventh inning of the Torrance Bluebird-Carmelita Provisions game recently, only to have it snatched up by a fleet-footed outfielder and retire the side.

The swat, which would have gone for a home run in most parks, was chalked off as merely another out in the king-size field at Evergreen Playground.

What really hurt Johnson, however, was that the bases were loaded, and with two away, a grand-slam would have tied the score 10-10.

The locals held their own until the seventh, when the Birds actually ran out of pitchers.

Dave Bishop, Jack Robinson and Clair Johnson all took turns at the pitching chores, with Johnson finally coming through in the eighth to slow down the tide.

Big inning for the Birds was the fifth when S. Johnson, Jack French, Tom Titchener and Mike Beckett all made it around the bases to tally four runs.

Hank Cannon got credit for two runs batted in, as did Titchener, Jim Murphy and C. Johnson swatted home the other runners.

Torrance 101-040 000—6 13 4
Carmelita 181 203 50x—15 20 1
Robinson, Bishop (10), C. Johnson (7) and S. Johnson, Dangles and Penn.

Apaches, Vikes Are Opponents

Ol' Brother Basketball bows out this week as the Torrance Tartars engage in their two final league games.

Today, the Tartars and Jayvees travel to Centennial for their next-to-last Bay League tilt. Coach-George Stanich's charges will be out to avenge a pair of early season defeats dealt them by the Apache boys.

The Apache varsity holds a 49-43 win over the Tartars in their first league match. The Tartar Jayvees bowed to the Centennial Juniors, 47-29, in their previous meeting at the Torrance gym.

Game time for today's pair is 1:45 p.m.

At Santa Monica
Thursday, Stanich's luckless and heightless cagers trek to Santa Monica for their season finale. Both the Varsity and Jayvees will see action at Samohli, with the first game slated to begin at 7 p.m.

Lenny Robb's 6'4" Viking center, led the Santa Monica team to a 33-48 rout of the Tartars in their first meeting.

Torrance's Bee and Cee cagers also wind up their season Thursday, when they take on the Samohli B and C squads at



GEORGE STANICH
Tartar Cage Coach

the Torrance gym. Game time is set for 2:45 p.m.

The Tartarbarbs clobbered the Viking B squad, 48-37, in their first meeting, while the local Cees turned back Samohli, 35-35, in their initial contest with the Bay City team.

Play Final Game
Eight seniors will play their final game for the Tartars when they travel to Santa Monica, Sterling Brown, Barrett Lee, Gus Sanchez, Denny Hester, Tom Vanderpool, Don Ivata, Jim Lawrence and Bob Boss will terminate their Torrance cage careers in the Samohli-Torrance battle.

Lee continues to hold his individual scoring lead among Tartar team members, including scoring statistics from last week's Leuzinger game. Lee now has 105 points in 10 Bay League games for a 10.5 average.

Under the direction of Bill Clark, a softball team will be formed in the near future.

Any parent who wishes to work with the children may contact the director at the playground.

ORANGE CRYSTALS
Frozen orange juice may appear soon in a new form. One company is experimenting with orange juice in dehydrated crystal form.

Prohibit chumming anywhere in state except in Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta.

Prohibit use of carp and goldfish for bait anywhere, in the state except the Colorado River, and there permit carp only.

Open Lake Tahoe to year-around fishing, with bag limit of five trout or salmon or combination. Set Topaz Lake season April 2 to Oct. 31.

Present limitations on treble hooks extended for entire year on salmon and steelhead waters.

Prohibit possession of one underize salmon in ocean angling.

Prohibit use of hooks with more than one point while trolling for ocean salmon between Tamales Point, Marin County, and Yankee Point, Monterey County.

Cut limit of razor clams from 30 to 20 per day.

Change spawning closure from Nov. 1 to Dec. 31 to Nov. 5 to Dec. 31 on San Joaquin, Merced, Tuolumne, Stanislaus, Feather, North Fork Feather, South Fork Feather and Yuba rivers.

TORRANCE HERALD

Sports

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UNION FIVE REGISTERS LOOP WIN

Cityworkers Local 1135's cage team completely overwhelmed the Blue Devils, 112-19, last Tuesday evening in the Torrance Recreation Department's Adult League program.

The union cagers came close to the all-time single game scoring mark, but couldn't quite match the point production of the Fenwick Shoe Repair team. The shoe workers set the record in 1952, with a 118-57 win over George's Meat'n Place.

In Tuesday's high-scoring affair, three members of the 1135 squad combined to pour in 77 points. Bill Hasvold had 27 to lead the game scorers, while Ron Chambers had 26 and Ivan Keys hit for 24.

None of these individual efforts came close to the league mark for individual scoring. Bill Chambers holds the record. He hit for 39 points in the 1952 Fenwick-George's tilt, 28 of the total in the final period.

Andy Hahn was high man for the losers, with eight points. Allen's Burgers ground out a 69-39 win over Al Knoll's Drug in Tuesday's first game. The Drugstore team used ball control as much as possible in an effort to hold down the high scoring Burger boys.

Forward Bill Baron hit for 24 points to lead the winners attack. Teammate Jerry Farrar had 20.

Bill Sommers topped the losers by racking up 12 counters. Frank's Furniture squeaked for 28 points in the 1952 Fenwick-George's tilt, 28 of the total in the final period.

Chuck Hawley had nine points to lead the winners, while Norm Chambers connected for 11 points to take game high scoring honors.

SUMMARIES
Knoll's Drug (39) Allen's (69)
Souza (4) F Hahn (8)
Sommers (12) F Farrar (20)
Mortenson (6) C White (10)
Kulp (6) G George (2)
Cope (8) G Ruffell (6)
Scoring Subs—Allen's: Garcia, 2; Ball, 3; Schwenk, 2.
Knolls Drug 4 6 20 9-39
Allen's Burgers 13 17 22-69

Local 1135 (112) Blue Devils (19)
Keys (24) F Hahn (8)
Hasvold (27) F Williams (5)
McBride (14) C Overton (2)
Chambers (26) G Cicchini (0)
Mont'ny (5) G Burnette (0)
Scoring Subs—Local 1135: E. Blane, 12; Scherer, 4; Nady, 8.
Blue Devils: Smith, 4.

Frank's (29) Treeske's (27)
Dellan (4) F N. Cham's (11)
Bynum (4) F Lindberg (6)
Luddy (0) C B. Cham's (6)
Costas (6) G Babbitt (2)
McGee (2) G Webb (2)
Scoring Subs—Frank's: Halle, 2; Hawley, 9.
Frank's 10 6 3 10-29
Tre'eske's 4 9 8 6-27

LEAGUE STANDINGS
Team W L
Allen's Burgers 7 0
Local 1135 6 1
Knoll's Drug 2 5
Blue Devils 2 5
Frank's Furniture 2 5
Tre'eske's Men's Shop 2 5

Warriors In Metro Loop Win, 56-52

El Camino staged a second-half stretch drive Friday night to edge Long Beach City College's Vikings 56-52 in a Metropolitan Conference contest.

The Vikings took a 24-22 lead when they into the locker room at half-time, but with Weiss, Graf and Erlinger leading the way, the Warriors overhauled the LBCC boys for the win. Weiss had 17 points to take game scoring honors, while Graf and Erlinger each had 11 to aid the Warrior cause.

Handley, the Viking's tall center, led the loser's scoring efforts. He clicked for a total of 15 points.

In other Merto action, Valley JC topped Bakersfield's Renegades 71-69 in the league's top game. By edging the Gades, the Valleyites moved into un-disputed possession of first place.

Valley held a 39-36 half-time lead.

East Los Angeles JC and Santa Monica CC staged a low-scoring affair, as the Bay school slipped past the East LA five, 48-45.

Apaches Edge Samohi
Centennial's Apaches edged Santa Monica, 58-54, Friday night in a Bay League tussle.

Guard Paul Lowe meshed 21 markers to lead the Apaches to the win. Loughrey was high man for the losers with 15 points.

The Apache Jayvees took the preliminary game by a 53-34 count.

Argentine Pumps Made By National Supply
The Export Division of the National Supply Co. has supplied to Argentina Government oilfields two dual engine pump drives, one including an Ideal E-700 Power Slush pump, made at the Torrance plant, it was revealed yesterday.

These large capacity high power pump drives will be used with existing heavy duty oil rigs for drilling to depths beyond 15,000 feet, company officials stated.

Greenwood Playground Open for Saturday Play
The Greenwood Playground will be open every Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. for games and sports, the Recreation Department announced yesterday.

Under the direction of Bill Clark, a softball team will be formed in the near future.

Any parent who wishes to work with the children may contact the director at the playground.

ORANGE CRYSTALS
Frozen orange juice may appear soon in a new form. One company is experimenting with orange juice in dehydrated crystal form.

Kegling

SHELL CHEMICAL LEAGUE

4-Technician	17 1/4	10 1/4
6-Mechanics	15	13
8-Shop	15	13
1-Extracts	15	13
3-Glans	15 1/4	14 1/4
5-Maintenance	12	16
7-Laboratory	12	17
9-Engineering	11	17
THG-Team 1	10	763
THG-Team 2	10	223
IHG-L. Taylor	10	212
IHG-R. Nauman	10	608

FRIDAY MEN'S 875

5-Oma's Liquor	36	27
1-Manor Poultry	34	29
2-Elmer	33 1/2	29 1/2
4-Calf. Fin Serv.	31 1/2	31 1/2
3-Alper's Furniture	25	38
THG-Team 4	25	876
THG-Team 5	25	254
IHG-Jim Biundo	25	228
IHG-T. Kelly	25	678

LADIES LEAGUE

4-Torrance JV	50	38 1/2
1-Torr. Hobby Shop	50	38 1/2
2-Engineer	49 1/2	38 1/2
3-Star Furniture	43	45
2-Torr. Plumbing	38 1/2	51 1/2
2-LeRoy Cleaners	33	65 1/2
THG-Team 3	32 1/2	67 1/2
IHG-K. Nelson	32 1/2	173
IHG-C. Welp	32 1/2	678

SUNDAY MIXED FOURSOME

1-Elmer	52 1/2	39 1/2
2-Elmer	47 1/2	44 1/2
3-Fenwick	43	49
4-Fenwick	39 1/2	52 1/2
5-Fenwick	38 1/2	65 1/2
THG-Team 8	618	678
THG-Team 7	1763	1763
IHG-Men: Roy Wilkerson	164	447
IHG-Women: Myrna Nelson	164	447
IHG-Men: Homer Corvill	479	479
IHG-Women: Myrna Nelson	436	436

SERVICE CLUB LEAGUE

1-Amer. Leg. No. 1	56	36 1/2
2-Lions No. 1	56	36 1/2
3-Elks	51	41
4-Optimist	48	44
5-Jr. C of C	47	65
6-Elks	47	65
6-VFW Post 3251	31	67 1/2
7-Elks	30 1/2	67 1/2
IHG-Team 7	204	678
THG-Team 2	204	204
IHG-Team 2	204	204
IHG-Ace Littleton	204	678
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